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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 7126**

**BILL NUMBER: HB 1122**

**DATE PREPARED:** Jan 31, 2002

**BILL AMENDED:** Jan 30, 2002

**SUBJECT:** Housing authority membership.

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**FUNDS AFFECTED:**      **GENERAL  
DEDICATED  
FEDERAL**

**IMPACT:** Local

**Summary of Legislation:** (Amended) This bill allows a housing authority to have either five or seven members. It provides that one member of the housing authority must be a person directly assisted by the housing authority instead of a resident of the housing authority. The bill provides that in a city, town, or county, the commissioners of certain housing authorities do not have to include a person directly assisted by the housing authority..

**Effective Date:** July 1, 2002.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:**

**Explanation of State Revenues:**

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:** (Revised) Current law allows the following compensation for commissioners of housing authorities:

A) A per diem allowance of \$25 for attending a meeting of the authority; and

B) Reimbursement for necessary expenses, including traveling costs incurred in carrying out the duties of a commissioner.

The possible reduction of two members would decrease local expenditures by \$50 per meeting attended plus potential necessary expenses for the members. The savings would be to the fiscal body's general fund.

The requirement that in a city, town, or county, commissioners of certain housing authorities do not have to include a person directly assisted by the housing authority should have no fiscal impact.

**Explanation of Local Revenues:**

**State Agencies Affected:**

**Local Agencies Affected:** City, town, and county fiscal bodies.

**Information Sources:**